

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 300

By Norris

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Eldred Kirk "Buck" Pope  
of Trimble.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the death of Eldred Kirk Pope; and

WHEREAS, a well-known town leader and friend to the community, Buck Pope was legendary for his efforts aimed at improving the quality of life for all those living in Trimble; and

WHEREAS, a town Alderman for nearly 40 years, Mr. Pope also served as Vice Mayor for many years; his leadership was an inspiration to civic leaders in Trimble and throughout the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, Buck Pope also spent many years as a farmer, a meat department manager for several local stores, and an employee of the Dyer County School System; and

WHEREAS, a deeply spiritual man, Mr. Pope was a devout churchgoer and leader; and

WHEREAS, Buck Pope was also deeply devoted to his family, and he always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, preceded in death by his loving wife, Mr. Pope also enjoyed the companionship of his three children, three grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, always willing to give of his time for others, Buck Pope was often known to work with and coach youth in various sports programs; he also enjoyed gardening, hunting, spending time with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren, and working with his Walking Horses; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Pope leaves behind an indelible legacy of commitment to the people of Trimble, devotion and love to his family, and the spirit of his civic leadership to the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Eldred Kirk "Buck" Pope, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character, devotion to his family, and his diligence in serving the people of Trimble.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Buck Pope.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.